(vi) Integrated Management of Neonatal and Childhood Illnesses (Ministry of Health & Family Welfare);

(vii) National Programme for Nutritional Support to Primary Education (Mid Day Meal Scheme) [Department of Elementary Education & Literacy];

(viii) Targetted Public Distribution System (Department of Food & Public Distribution);

(ix) Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme/Swajaldhara and Total Sanitation Campaign (Ministry of Rural Development).

Institutes for destitute and neglected children in MP

†2103. MISS ANUSUIYA UIKEY: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether only 26 institutes are functioning in Madhya Pradesh for destitute, neglected and criminal children;

(b) whether the number of these institutes is sufficient;

(c) whether Government propose to enhance their number; and

(d) if so, by when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) In addition to 18 Observation Homes, 3 Juvenile Homes, 3 Special Homes and 2 After Care Homes functioning under the administrative control of the Directorate of Panchayat & Social Justice Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh, 25 homes are also functioning under administrative control of Women and Child Development Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh.

(b), (c) and (d) As per information given by the Madhya Pradesh Government, these institutes are sufficient to meet the present requirements.

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